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SUBJECT:R/V RESEARCHER CLEARANCE REQUEST, MARCH -
SEPTEMBER 1977

1. R/V RESEARCHER, A PUBLIC VESSEL OPERATED BY THE
NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION (NOAA),
IS PLANNING TO CONDUCT A MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH CRUISE
IN THE GULF OF MEXICO DURING THREE TIME PERIODS FROM MARCH
THROUGH SEPTEMBER. THE PURPOSE OF THE RESEARCH IS TO STUDY

THE SEASONAL CIRCULATION PATTERN IN THE GULF TO GAIN A BET-
TER UNDERSTANDING OF THE WATER TRANSFER AND TO DEVELOP A
NUMERICAL MODEL.

2. RESEARCH WILL INVOLVE TAKING SALINITY, TEMPERATURE,
WATER SAMPLES, AND ROUTINE METEOROLOGICAL SAMPLES.
CHEMICAL ANALYSIS WILL BE CONDUCTED ON THE SAMPLES. A
SALINITY/TEMPERATURE/ DEPTH (STD) RECORDER, ROSETTE
SAMPLER, AND EXPENDABLE BATHYTHERMOGRAPH (XBT) WILL BE USED.
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A COPY OF THE SHIP'S TRACK IS BEING POUCHED.

3. SHIP'S CAPTAIN IS ROBERT FRANKLIN WITH A CREW OF 85
AND SCIENTIFIC PARTY OF 6. CHIEF SCIENTISTS ARE DR. ROBERT
MOLINARI AND DR. DAVID BEHRINGER. BERTHS ARE AVAILABLE

FOR 2 GOM PARTICIPANTS AND ALL DATA RESULTS WILL BE SHARED

WITH GOM.

4. RESEARCHER IS 3000 GROSS TONS, 278 FT. LONG, AND WITH AN 18 FT. DRAFT. RADIO CALL SIGN IS WTER AND SHIP MONITORS EMERGENCY RADIO FREQUENCIES.

5. RESEARCH PERIODS ARE 28 MAR. - 16 APR., 20 JUN. - 9 JUL., 7 SEPT. - 26 SEPT.

6. ACTION: EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO SEEK CLEARANCE FOR R/V RESEARCHER TO CONDUCT MARINE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH IN GOM TERRITORIAL WATERS DURING PERIODS GIVEN PARA 5. GOM WILL BE PROVIDED UPDATED SCHEDULE IF DATES CHANGE. NO PORT CALLS ARE PLANNED IN MEXICO.
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